

## Alexandria Gazette

THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 12, 1906.

## Local Matters.

## Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 4:44 a. m. and sets at 7:26 p. m. High water at 12:52 a. m. and 1:15 p. m.

## Weather Probabilities.

For this section partly cloudy tonight and Friday; light east to southerly winds.

## The Weather.

The hot weather of yesterday was broken by rain in the afternoon which was accompanied by considerable thunder and lightning. The storm, however, was heaviest north of Alexandria, and in parts of Washington and Maryland some damage followed. A colored man was killed by lightning near Rockville and the electric fluid stunned people in other places.

The roof of a new house on Massachusetts avenue, near the new union station in Washington was ripped off by the lightning. At the Wallace Hotel, 514 Thirteenth street northwest, an electric wire was struck and carried a dazzling flash inside the dining-room of the building. The flag pole on the Columbia Theater was struck by lightning and shattered. Some of the Treasury clerks thought that their time had come when one peal of thunder, accompanied by a blinding zigzag of white lightning, crashed through the building. The wind blew down several trees in the northwest section of the city.

During the height of the storm, the tower of the Capital Traction station at Thirtieth and M street northwest was struck by lightning, knocking some terra cotta and brick to the ground. The temperature fell somewhat after the rain and conditions were more pleasant last night and today.

## Police Commissioners.

There was another meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners in the Mayor's office last night. It was determined to hold other meetings next week in order to formulate a new book of rules. The investigation of the working of the police force is virtually over, and it may be stated that there will be no dismissals, although some members may have to undergo the ordeal of a reprimand for alleged indiscretions. It is stated that when the new book of rules shall have been adopted the officers will be held strictly responsible to all the requirements of the commissioners, and infractions of rules will subject the delinquents to dismissal from the force. During the meeting last night a motion was made requesting Lieutenant James Smith to resign his position on the force. The vote stood 3 to 2, one member not voting. The investigation has been carried for several months.

It is said that the office of second lieutenant will be created, and he, with the first lieutenant, will have charge of the men on the streets, both lieutenants acting as roundsmen.

## After Trade.

The final meeting of the organization committee of the Shippers' Association of Washington will be held this evening. Probably the first work of the association will be to try to secure favorable railway rates and prompt service out of Washington. It is contended that the railroads have discriminated against the merchants of that city in the shipping of goods into the South. Washington business men, a member of the committee said, desire only to be placed on the same footing with the business men of Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Alexandria, and be able to compete for the trade of the surrounding territory and the South without being handicapped on account of improper railroad facilities and unfavorable rates.

## Police Court.

Justice Wm. A. Moore presided in the Police Court this morning and disposed of the following cases: Henry Anderson, colored, arrested by Officer Roberts charged with stealing sacks from W. H. May & Son, was fined \$10. David Sully, arrested by Officers Beach and Garvey charged with assault, was fined \$5. A man, arrested by Officers Roberts and Garvey charged with being drunk on the street, was fined \$2.50. George Jackson and Pearl Baltimore, both colored, arrested by Officers Bell and Henderson charged with disorderly conduct, were fined \$2.50 each.

## Mortality Among Infants.

The mortality among infants in Washington has become alarming. A physician of that city says the shortage in ice undoubtedly has a bearing on the increased number of deaths, as milk not kept with ice undergoes a chemical change of such a nature that when it enters the alimentary canal its casein cannot be properly assimilated, and bacterial conditions arise which cause the so-called summer complaints especially among children, who are naturally more sensitive to such diseases.

## Fire Company Meetings.

A meeting of the Reliance Fire Company was held last night at which arrangements were made for attending the meeting of State Firemen's Association in Richmond August 22. There was a meeting also of the Columbia Fire Company last night for the same purpose. Arrangements were made for giving an excursion to Luna Park on the 19th instant.

## Corporation Court.

[Judge L. C. Burley presiding.] The will of the late Dr. Wm. R. Purvis was admitted to probate. The deceased left his estate to his wife, Eloise B. Purvis, who qualified as executrix. The case of the com. vs. Leroy Beach, jr., indicted for selling liquor without a license; jury and verdict of not guilty.

## Failed to Find the Man.

Some people living on Cameron street went to the station house last night and reported that a man was walking on the roof of the Masonic Temple. The tiler of the lodge was summoned and after the building had been opened Lieutenant Smith directed a search, but no man or woman or cat-dropper could be found within or without the structure.

Parker Lodge of colored Odd Fellows of this city went on an excursion to Glymont today.

## Personal.

Miss Margaret Gill who has been visiting Miss Mary Leadbeater has returned to her home in Petersburg. Miss Jeannette Rowen, daughter of Engineer Thomas Rowen, is ill at her home, 1207 Prince street. Mrs. John P. Agnew is at her country home near Accotink, where she will spend the summer. Mrs. John Leadbeater is visiting in Centre County, N. H. Mr. Edward Wildt has returned from Atlantic City. Mr. Wm. Blackwell of Alexandria, after spending several days with friends in the city, returned home yesterday morning. [Charlottesville Progress.] Mrs. S. F. Gregory has gone to Westmoreland county where she will spend the summer. Mrs. A. M. Shuman, of Hagerstown, Md., is visiting her mother at 410 north Columbus street. Miss Alice Graham, of Alexandria, is a guest of Misses Cheesley on Princess Anne street, Fredericksburg. [Free Lance.]

## Telegraph Operator Injured.

John Adams, of Clifton, Fairfax county, was struck by Southern train No. 29 which left here shortly after 11 o'clock yesterday morning and painfully injured. The accident happened just within the town of Manassas. According to a statement made by the engineer on the train, Adams, who had been drinking, was sitting on the end of a trolley with his head resting in his hands. As soon as the engineer saw him he gave a warning and reduced speed, so that the train was not running more than fifteen miles an hour when Adams was struck. The external injuries seemed to be a small cut on the forehead and severe bruises on the left shoulder, where the cylinder of the engine struck him. The injured man was taken to the station, where he was treated by Dr. J. M. Lewis. Mr. Adams is an operator and has a brother who is chief dispatcher for the Southern in Alexandria.

## Burglar in the House?

A few nights ago a resident of Seminary Hill when about to close the house for the night heard a noise in a room and immediately awakened to find a burglar. He looked the door as quickly as possible and summoned his son the couple started toward the room for the purpose of capturing the intruder. The man of the house had armed himself with a pistol and the son with a club and a lantern. The youth was instructed to turn the light of the lantern into the room as soon as the fatherfully outlocked the door, the latter being fully determined to shoot the supposed burglar. The door was unlocked and thrown open when the pet dog of the house, weighing between two and three pounds, emerged wagging its tail.

## Meeting of Colored People.

A mass meeting of colored people of Alexandria, Prince William, Loudoun, Fairfax, Fauquier, Culpeper, King George, Louisa, Orange and Stafford counties of Virginia will be held in this city August 1. Booker T. Washington, president of the National Negro Business League, has called the meeting for the purpose of forming a local business league in the vicinity of Alexandria to act in unison with the national body.

## Installation of Officers.

The following officers of Scepta Lodge, No. 46, I. O. O. F., were recently installed by D. D. G. J. T. Watkins: N. G., J. D. Beach; V. G., J. A. Taylor; Recording Secretary, C. N. Rau; H. P. Secretary, E. T. Steele; Treasurer, C. S. Self; Warden, W. R. Studds; Conductor, J. A. Sprague; S. W. H. Ward; B. R. S. G. G. E. Butler; L. S. G. L. H. McDaniel; R. S. V. G. J. H. Naylor; L. S. V. G. R. L. Havener; Chaplain, C. E. Ward; S. P. G. F. C. Elliott; R. S. S. P. W. Mortman; L. S. S. H. Sampson.

## Destroyed by Lightning.

The residence of Mr. John Vaughn at Franconia, Fairfax county, was struck by lightning yesterday afternoon and totally destroyed with all its contents. No one was in the house when the bolt descended, the family having gone on a visit.

## The Peach Crop.

Advices from neighboring States are to the effect that there will be an abundance of peaches this year. This luscious fruit is becoming more noticeable in the market and stores daily. Good peach seasons are hailed with delight by all.

## Sketch Talks.

Mr. F. C. Crass will give sketch talks during the summer at the Crittenton Home every Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. There will also be special interesting features. Friends and workers are cordially invited.

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.—A special meeting of the stockholders of THE EMERSON STEAM PUMP COMPANY will be held at its principal office in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, at 11 o'clock a. m., on THURSDAY, the 14th day of June, 1906, to consider the issue of first mortgage bonds and the securing of the payment of the same and the interest to accrue thereon.

By order of the Board of Directors, R. BRUCE EMERSON, Secretary.

Meeting adjourned until June 28, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 12th, 1906, at same place and hour.

Meeting adjourned until July 19th, 1906, at same place and hour.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Miller, a bricklayer, living on south Lee street, fell from a scaffold in Washington this morning and had one of his knees seriously injured. Edward Thompson, colored, of Washington, eighteen years of age, accidentally shot himself in the left hand while at Brick Haven Tuesday afternoon. He received surgical treatment at the Emergency Hospital. James Smith, colored, 20 years of age, living at 726 Franklin street, fell overboard at Nottley Hall last night. He was rescued and taken to Washington. He was brought back to consciousness after eight hours hard work. The physicians say that he will recover. It is claimed he was in the water for twenty minutes.

Lynnhaven Hard Crabs; also Fried Crabs at the Opera House Cafe today. Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c. Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. Feb 26st

Vice President in an Accident. Vice President Charles W. Fairbanks, accompanied by Mrs. Fairbanks and their son Frederick, arrived at Danville, Ill., yesterday from Indianapolis in the Fairbanks touring car. They took luncheon at the home of Speaker Cannon and left later for Mansfield Ill., where they will spend several days at the Fairbanks country place.

The automobile bearing the Vice President and party yesterday afternoon crashed into a buggy driven by Joseph M. Dougherty, a prominent democratic politician. The two vehicles came together at a curve in the road and Mr. Dougherty was thrown out and painfully bruised. The Vice President alighted and went to the assistance of Mr. Dougherty. Mr. Dougherty expressed his pleasure at the meeting, but said he would have been better pleased had it taken place under slightly different circumstances. After this friendly colloquy, the Vice President resumed his journey. Dougherty's injuries are not serious.

## Litigation Over Fees.

In connection with the litigation in the Washington courts over the counsel fees for securing the approval of claims of the Cherokee Indians against the United States for more than a million dollars, Justice Wright yesterday enjoined the payment by Charles H. Treat, treasurer of the United States, of \$75,000 to former Senator Marion Butler, of North Carolina. This amount represents a portion of the fee which is said to be due the firm of Shelley, Butler & Martin and other lawyers who presented the case before the Court of Claims. By the action of the court, however, Robert L. Owen, the Indian lawyer, who successfully argued the case before the United States Supreme Court, is allowed to receive from Mr. Treat the balance of the attorneys' fees, the total of which is said to amount to \$300,000. The money for the payment of the claims of the Indians of the Cherokee nation was appropriated by Congress on the last day of the recent session.

## Baked Diamonds in Bread.

Annie Strickler, a German girl, 20 years old, was arrested by Detective John Roach, at Pittsburgh, Pa., yesterday morning and locked up as a suspicious person. She is charged with a unique system of diamond stealing—that of baking the gems in loaves of bread, then passing the loaves out to a confederate, who would disappear with them. Miss Strickler was searched by the matron. Two rings were found in her umbrella during the search. She admitted that she had stored a lot of jewelry in some dough, which was baked into a loaf of bread. The loaf was placed outside to cool, and it disappeared. The police are trying to find the loaf. The girl will have a hearing today, and in the meantime the police are trying to locate a young woman who is said to not only have told the Strickler woman how to conceal the diamonds, but who is thought to have remained outside and taken the loaves of bread.

While in a state of melancholy Mrs. Sophie Simandl, twenty nine years old of Elizabeth, N. J., committed suicide this morning.

## The Market.

Georgetown, July 12.—Wheat 70 7/8

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The chances for living a full century are excellent in the case of Mrs. Jennie Duncan, of Haymarket, Va., now 70 years old. She writes: "Electric Bitters cured me of Chronic Dyspepsia of 20 years standing, and made me feel as well and strong as a young girl." Electric Bitters cure Stomach and Liver troubles, Blood disorders, General Debility and bodily weakness. Sold on a guarantee at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Price only 50c.

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Mixed	485	508
Damp and tough	485	508
Corn, white	050	063
Mixed	050	063
Yellow	050	063
Corn Meal	050	063
Oats, mixed, new	048	050
White, new	048	050
Elgin Print Butter	032	034
Butter, Virginia, packed	013	014
Choice Virginia	013	014
Common to middling	012	013
Eggs	013	014
Live Chickens (barn)	010	011
Spring Chickens	020	023
Potatoes, per bu. (old)	125	130
225	235	240
Sweet Potatoes	150	200
Yams	095	100
Onions, per bushel	012	014
Dried Apples	010	012
Apples, per bushel	094	096
Dried Peaches, peeled	010	014
Pork, per 100 lbs.	750	800
Butter, Virginia	014	015
Bacon, country ham	014	015
Best sugar-cured ham	014	015
Butcher's ham	014	015
Sugar-cured shoulders	010	012
Bulk shoulders	009	010
Dry Salt sides	010	012
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Smoked shoulders	012	012

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